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15 who is actually occupying a seat beside the driver, except that any 16 instruction permit issued to a person who is less than sixteen years of age shall be valid until his sixteenth birthday and shall entitle 17 such permittee to drive a motor vehicle upon the highways only when 18 19 accompanied by a parent or guardian, who is a holder of a valid operator's or chauffeur's license, and who is actually occupying a seat beside the driver. The department, upon receiving proper application, 20 21 22 may in its discretion issue without charge a restricted instruction per-23 mit effective for a period of not to exceed six months, if such applicant 24 is at least fourteen years of age and is enrolled in a driver training 25 program approved by the department. Such instruction permit shall 26 entitle the permit holder when he has such a permit in his imme-27 diate possession to operate a motor vehicle only when an instructor approved by the department is occupying a seat beside the permit 28 29 holder. Each applicant applying for an instruction permit under an approved driver training program shall furnish a certificate of eligi-30 bility and such certificate shall be valid only when signed by an ap-31 proved instructor." 32

Section three hundred twenty-one point one hundred ninety-one (321.191), Code 1950, as amended, is hereby amended by inserting between the word "license" and the succeeding word "shall" in line two (2) thereof, the following: "or instruction permit".

Approved April 16, 1953.

CHAPTER 132

MINORS' MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSES

S. F. 268

AN ACT to repeal section three hundred twenty-one point one hundred ninety-four (321.194), Code 1950, pertaining to restricted licenses issued to minors, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section three hundred twenty-one point one hundred ninety-four (321.194), Code 1950, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

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4 "Whenever the necessity therefor is shown, a restricted license 5 may be issued to any person between the ages of fourteen and sixteen years which license shall entitle the holder thereof, while having 7 such license in his immediate possession, to operate a motor vehicle during the hours of 7 A.M. to 6 P.M. over the most direct and acces-8 9 sible route between the licensee's residence and his school of enroll-10 ment for the purpose of attending duly scheduled courses of instruc-11 tion at such school or at any time when accompanied by a parent or 12 guardian who is a holder of a valid operator's or chauffeur's license, 13 and who is actually occupying a seat beside the driver. Such license 14 shall expire on the licensee's 16th birthday. For the purpose of establishing a need for the license provided for in this section, each 15 application shall be accompanied by an affidavit from the school board 16 or superintendent of the applicant's school which affidavit shall be 17

upon a form provided by the department and shall state the facts 18 19 deemed to justify the issuance of a license to the applicant. Neither 20 such affidavit nor the inability to obtain the same shall be binding on the department but may be considered by the department in its 21 22 determining of whether or not to grant the application. The fact 23 that the applicant resides at a distance less than one mile from his 24 school shall be prima facie evidence of the non-existence of any neces-25 sity for the issuance of such a license. A license issued hereunder is 26 subject to suspension or revocation in like manner as any other license or permit issued under any law of this state and in addition thereto 27 28 the department may suspend such license upon receiving satisfactory 29 evidence that the licensee has violated the restrictions of such license 30 or has been involved in two or more accidents chargeable to such licensee and the department shall revoke any license issued hereunder 31 upon receiving a record of such licensee's conviction for two or more 32 33 violations of any law of this state or city ordinance, other than park-34 ing regulations, regulating the operation of motor vehicles on highways and after revoking a license hereunder the department shall not 35 grant application for any new license or permit until the expiration of one year or until the licensee attains his 16th birthday whichever 36 37 is the longer period." 38

Approved April 16, 1953.

CHAPTER 138

REGULATING BICYCLES

H. F. 31

AN ACT to amend sections three hundred twenty-one point two hundred thirty-six (321.236) and three hundred eighty-nine point thirty-nine (389.39), Code 1950, relating to the powers of local authorities to regulate the use of bicycles.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. Section three hundred twenty-one point two hundred thirty-six (321.236), Code 1950, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following new subsection:
- "9. Regulating the operation of bicycles and requiring the registration and licensing of the same, including the requirement of a registration fee."
- SEC. 2. Section three hundred eighty-nine point thirty-nine (389.39), Code 1950, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following new subsection:
- 4 "6. To require the registration and licensing of bicycles, including the requirement of a registration fee therefor."

Approved February 25, 1953.